Greg's Fox E-Newsletter

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FARMERS MARKETS

Visit a Howard County Farmers Market!

- Miller Library in Ellicott City: Wednesdays from 2:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.
- Howard County General Hospital, Fridays from 2:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.
- Old Town Farmers
 Market, Parking lot
 behind Tongue Row EVERY Saturday
 9:00am -1:00pm

Howard County Recreation & Parks

2014 Fall Activity Guide



GREETINGS

Fall is in the air and there are lots of events this month. I will be stopping by the **Highland Day Celebration tomorrow**. Hope to see many of you there. The Farmer's Markets are open through this month. Have a great weekend.



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HIGHLAND DAY 2014

On **October 4, 2014**, from **11 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.**, the Highland Business Association & the Greater Highland Crossroads Association will celebrate all that is unique about the quaint crossroads community of Highland, Maryland. This festive day brings together old-time neighbors and new friends to enjoy the activities and diverse offerings of merchants, exhibitors, and artisans. Enjoy jovial entertainment, a variety of food and beverage, including a beer garden, and a focus on fun things for the family.

Complete with Halloween parade starting at noon and a Halloween costume contest from **11 a.m. to 12 p.m**. at the APL/FCU tent.

For more information, please visit <u>here</u>.



FALL FESTIVAL AT THE CONSERVANCY

Come out to the Howard County Conservancy this **Sunday**, **October 5th from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m.** to celebrate the beginning of fall! Visitors can listen to blue grass music, watch blacksmiths ply their trade, and marvel at the history of this three-century-old farm. Goats, chickens, a diamondback terrapin and a snake will fascinate the youngsters. The resident Barred Owl will also visit with attendees. Other festivities include children's crafts, pony rides and hay rides. Food is available to purchase.

\$10 per car - carpool with your neighbors!



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COUNCIL MONTHLY MEETING SCHEUDULE

Monday, October 6

Legislative Session Banneker Room **7:30 p.m.**

Monday, October 13

Monthly Meeting
C. Vernon Gray Room
8:30 a.m.

Wednesday, October 15

Quarterly Meeting with Board of Education at Board of Education 8:15 a.m.

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LARRILAND FARMS FALL FESTIVITIES

The Straw Maze is open. Every year is a new and different design. The fee charged per child covers all day. They pay once and may go through as many times as they want that day.

The Boo Barn is open. A dark and delightfully scary place below the Red Barn filled with animated Halloween characters. The fee charged per child covers all day. They pay once and may go through as many times as they want that day.

Hayrides run all day (9:30-4:30) on Saturdays and Sundays. This is a twenty minute hayride through the stream and through the woods decorated with storybook characters. A fee is charged. No reservation necessary.

Apple fritters, hamburgers and hotdogs on Saturdays and Sundays:

Please visit Larriland website for more information.



NATIONAL FIRE PREVENTION MONTH

In honor of "National Fire Prevention Month," the Howard County Volunteer Firemen's Association will host the following **open houses throughout the month of October**:

- Elkridge, Station #1, Saturday, October 4, 12:00 to 4:00 p.m.
- Ellicott City, Station #2, Saturday, October 4, 12:00 to 4:00 p.m.
- Savage, Station #6, Saturday, October 4, 12:00 to 4:00 p.m.
- Lisbon, Station #4, Sunday, October 5, 12:00 to 4:00 p.m.
- Clarksville, Station #5, Sunday, October 12, 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

OCTOBER NEWS FROM HOWARD COUNTY RECYCLING

Columbus Day Schedule

There will be **NORMAL** curbside collection on Monday, October 13th and for the rest of that week. Alpha Ridge Landfill will be open 8am to 4pm.

Household Hazardous Waste

Household Hazardous Waste collection days at Alpha Ridge Landfill are **Saturdays ONLY** from 8am to 4pm (April **through November**). If you have chemicals, rechargeable batteries, insecticides, etc. that you want to clear out of the house, there are **9 collection days left in 2014.**

Shredding Event

Howard County residents can bring up to 3 bags or boxes of paper to be shredded on-site at **Meadowbrook Park & Ride** (exit 1A off of Route 100) on **Saturday, October 18.** This event is from **9am to 1pm** and will be held rain or shine. See a list of acceptable paper items and tips on our <u>Paper Shredding website</u>.